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In re: Patent application of
Bernhard Dietzschold et al. : : :
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For: GENETICALLY ENGINEERED RABIES : :
RECOMBINANT VACCINE FOR : Examiner:
IMMUNIZATION OF STRAY DOGS AND : L. Scheiner
WILDLIFE : : : : TECH CENTER 1600/2900

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STATEMENT OF CHARLES E. RUPPRECHT UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)(2)

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Sir:

I, Charles E. Rupprecht, declare as follows:

1. I am one of the inventors of the invention of the above-identified patent application.

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2. Through an error, I was not named as an inventor in the application.
3. The error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

I hereby declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therein.

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DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**GENETICALLY ENGINEERED RABIES RECOMBINANT VACCINE FOR
IMMUNIZATION OF STRAY DOGS AND WILDLIFE**

[] the specification of which is attached hereto, *or*

[X] was filed on March 23, 2001 as U.S. Application No. 09/816,531 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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